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CLAIM NO WARNING WHISTLE WAS HEARD

Before the Verona Accident Last November—C.P.R. Sued for Damages.

That no warning whistle or bell was heard by any of the party and that it was impossible to see the approaching train on account of a high bank on the railway property, was the evidence given at the first day's hearing of the T. L. Reynolds and Sarah E. Reynolds vs. the C.P.R. case and the Mary Craig and Janette Craig vs. the C.P.R. case which are being tried simultaneously at the spring sittings of the Supreme Court of Ontario which opened in Kingston on Tuesday. Mr. Justice Grant is presiding. Cunningham & Smith appear for the plaintiffs and McMurphy & Spence are acting for the C.P.R.

The two suits for damages amounting to \$30,000, arise out of an automobile accident which occurred at Craig's crossing near Verona on November 13th, 1925, in which T. L. Reynolds lost his left eye and sustained other injuries and in which the three other persons mentioned in the cases, sustained more or less serious injuries.

On the day of the accident Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Craig and her daughter were driving southwest along the Craig road in an automobile operated by Reynolds. This was at 12.30 noon and the C.P.R. train which leaves Kingston on the Kingston and Pembroke line was travelling north. At a distance which the plaintiffs estimated at from 15 to 20 feet of Craig's crossing, Mrs. Craig shouted a warning that the train was coming. Mr. Reynolds applied the brakes but his car stalled in a position where his front wheels were almost on the first rail. Something on the side of the locomotive hit the car, whirled it around, and threw Mr. Reynolds and Mrs. Craig out. The train was stopped and all were taken aboard. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds were taken to Smith's Falls hospital and Mrs. Craig and her daughter went to Tielbourn and were then taken home.

W. H. Smith, graduate engineer and superintendent of a construction company, was the first witness called for the plaintiffs. He gave evidence as to a plan of the scene of the accident which he had prepared. The plan was entered as evidence.

Dr. Bogart, Dr. Etherington, of Kingston, and Dr. Paul Hollowell, of Verona, gave medical testimony as to the condition of the plaintiffs. Dr. Bogart and Dr. Etherington placed Reynolds' injuries at fifty per cent. disability. The ladies who were in the accident were suffering more or less from shock but as far as the doctors could discover had no permanent injuries. Dr. Hollowell gave evidence as to rendering first aid at the time of the accident and of attending Mrs. Craig and her daughter since that time. Mrs. Craig when on the witness stand claimed to be suffering from internal injuries.

Mr. Reynolds, Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Craig were then called on to give their versions of the accident. Their evidence agreed that they had not heard any warning whistle or bell and that they had not seen the train, because of a high bank on the railway property, "until it was too late to prevent the accident. Mr. Reynolds said his actual out of pocket expenses were about \$900.

Mr. Murphy protested against Mr. Cunningham entering evidence as to the condition of the bank on the railway property either before or after the accident. He held that the railway was governed by the Railway Commission and that unless the commission declared that a crossing was

not safe, the railway was under no obligation to improve the view.

Mr. Justice Grant ruled that the evidence should be presented to the jury but promised that he would take the objection into account when the verdict was presented.

The first business of the court when it convened Tuesday afternoon was to empanel a grand jury. The jurymen chosen were: Joseph Barr, Calvin Bearance, Ernest Campbell, James Daley, Arthur Day, James Dixon, Charles Dunham, Earl Moon, F. J. Morry, Gordon Rutledge, Mr. Riddell, J. C. Sutherland and Percy Dowling. James Daley and chosen foreman.

Mr. Justice Grant pointed out that while there were no criminal cases and therefore some of the duties usually performed by grand juries, were not necessary, still, he said, there was the important duty of inspecting public buildings and public institutions to see that they were safe for the inmates and that public monies were being properly expended. He charged the jury to perform these duties thoroughly and conscientiously and to present a report as soon as possible.

Mr. J. B. Walker on behalf of the Kingston Board extended a welcome to Mr. Justice Grant on his first visit to Kingston. The presiding judge in reply, said that the bar had a responsibility and could be of inestimable help to a presiding judge if they really tried to do so and from the reputation of the bar of Frontenac county he anticipated no difficulties at the Kingston sittings.

The case of Annie McDonald vs. John McDonald for alimony was announced as settled out of court. In the case of the Hudson's Bay Company vs. William A. Stark and Muriel Lorette Stark with consent of counsel a judgement in terms of prayer of statement of claim with cost of the action, was given. To be transferred to the Brockville sittings on March 16th was the disposition made of the case of W. H. Turner vs. P. J. Keeley. The case of David J. Patterson and John I. Patterson vs. F. McCallister was announced as settled out of court.

The jury empaneled and sworn to hear evidence in the Reynolds-Craig vs. C.P.R. case was as follows: John B. Bunt, Ross Wartman, W. J. Patterson, Herbert Dowker, R. J. Millerbeck, Joseph P. Clark, Overton Clark, Robert Freeman, Lorne Parks, Robert Webb, Rupert Aylesworth and Henry Breathwaite.

NAPANEE CURLERS WERE SUCCESSFUL

In Two Games in Toronto—A Presentation is Made to R. B. Fair.

Napanee, Feb. 3.—The following curlers left Monday afternoon for Toronto: M. P. Graham, A. L. Dufee, P. C. Killoran, Dr. R. V. McLaughlin, C. I. Maybee, W. A. Daly, H. W. Huffman and W. J. Jewell to curl for the Ontario Tankard. They were successful in winning from the Granites of Toronto in the morning by three shots and from the Queen City rink by 26 to 25 in the afternoon. The Granites and the Queen City are two of the strongest rinks in the city and Napanee is now in the semi-finals.

R. B. Fair of the Bell Telephone Company has been removed to Belleville. On Monday evening the staff of the local office presented Mr. Fair with a handsome mahogany smoking set, expressing their regret at his leaving the local exchange but congratulating him on his promotion.

Mrs. Doupe of the Robinson Co., had the misfortune to fall on her way home from work on Saturday night and break her wrist. Fred A. Perry has purchased the Camden Independent Telephone Co., which has a subscription list of about 350.

A very interesting softball game was played in the gymnasium last night between the girls teams of Trinity and St. Mary's. Trinity won the game by the score of 10-6. The second game between "B" Co. Frontenac Rest. and Gibbard's was also a very interesting one and "B" Co. scored 5 runs in their last innings to win the game by 12-11.

There was also a basketball game between the ex-pupils of the N.C.I. and the N.C.I., the ex-pupils winning out by one point.

After the games dancing was enjoyed by the young people. A very tidy amount was collected for the benefit fund.

Mrs. James Scott, New York, is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Clift.

Miss Allee Craig left on Sunday for Fort William where she will spend a month with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Nesbit.

Mrs. Ella Wagar is spending a couple of weeks in Ottawa, the guest of Mrs. D. B. Dowling.

GANANOQUE

Gananoque, Feb. 3.—An enjoyable social event was a birthday party given for Mrs. Flora Bulloch at her home on Monday last. About fifty were present to do honor to the occasion. The rooms were prettily decorated, the color scheme being carried out in the drawing room in pink and the dining room in yellow with carnations and gaffodils in silver baskets. Mrs. W. B. Mudge poured coffee and Mrs. Garfield Boyle tea, and were assisted by Miss Helen Rees. Receiving with Mrs. Bulloch were her daughters, Mrs. Hockstra and Mrs. W. E. Rees, and her two sons, W. V. and J. A. Bulloch. Mrs. Douglas Matthews leaves today for Toronto en route to Albuquerque, New Mexico. She will

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Miss Blythe Battams left yesterday for Montreal to visit Mrs. Masters. Among those going up to Kingston for the Kiwanis Ball are Dr. and Mrs. Fraser, Keith Taylor, Misses Louise and Janet Matthew. Miss Theresa Brennan, graduate nurse, Kingston, is spending the week here with her parents.

The encore and Jitney dance given by the San Salvador Club in the Lyceum on Monday evening attracted a very large crowd; many being present from Howe Island, Lansdowne and other parts of the surrounding country. There were over forty tables in play for progressive euchre, and with few exceptions they all remained to enjoy the dance. One of the most pleasing features of the dance was the introduction of some of the old varieties. The Sunday School orchestra furnished the music for the round dances while William Allen took care of the squares. In both instances the music was excellent, and the San Salvador Club's little evening was one of the most enjoyable events of the season. The net proceeds will amount to upwards of seventy dollars.

THE LATE JOHN RILEY

Old Resident of Cataract Passed Away On Tuesday. John Riley, aged seventy-five, a life-long resident of Cataract, passed away Tuesday forenoon, after an illness lasting only three days. The late Mr. Riley was born in Kingston a son of Alfred Riley and Sarah Ard. He obtained his school

ing at Cataract, and for a time engaged in the blacksmithing trade. He then took up farming at Cataract, at which he was engaged until twenty years ago, when he retired. He was a member of the Masonic Order and an Anglican. For over forty years, he deceased was a constant reader of The British Whig.

He is survived by his wife, who before her marriage was Miss Annie Munday, and by three daughters and one son, namely, Elsie at home, Mrs. Aylesworth, of Orono, Alberta; Mrs. Mandie of Knochville, Alta., and Edward of Cataract.

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